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### **ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELOR COMMITTEE** **PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA** **JUNE 24, 2016**

#### **I. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting is scheduled to be called to order at 9:30 a.m., Hudson Conference Room, 6<sup>th</sup> floor, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

#### **II. ROLL CALL**

	Present	Absent
Committee Chair, Edward Reading	( )	( )
Committee Vice-Chair, Sylvia Lippe	( )	( )
Committee Member, Norwood Allen	( )	( )
Committee Member, Jamie Lugo	( )	( )
Deputy Attorney General, Nancy Costello Miller	( )	( )
Executive Director, Milagros Collazo	( )	( )
ToniAnn Petrella-Diaz, Government Representative	( )	( )

In accordance with Chapter 231 of P.L. 1975, more commonly referred to as the Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by mail to the Office of the Secretary of the State of New Jersey, The Newark Star Ledger, The Trenton Times, The Bergen Record and the Courier Post and also posted on the Committee's web page.

#### **Announcement of quorum**

#### **III. APPROVAL OF PUBLIC MINUTES**

A. The minutes of the May 20, 2016 public meeting are presented for Committee review.

#### **IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**

#### **V. LEGISLATIVE/REGULATORY**

##### **A. Assembly Joint Resolution 102**

##### **Informational**

This Bill designates September of each year as "Youth Suicide Prevention Month" in New Jersey.

##### **B. Assembly Bill 3712**

This Bill seeks to require certain health benefits plans to provide treatment for substance abuse and dependency when determined medically necessary by physician or psychologist.

##### **C. Assembly Bill 3744**

The Bill seeks to establish law enforcement assisted addiction and recovery programs.

**VI. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT**

**VII. OLD BUSINESS**

**VIII. NEW BUSINESS**

**IX. CORRESPONDENCE**

**Thomas Dwyer, LPC, LCADC**

The May 23, 2016 letter regarding his pro bono community service is presented for Committee review.

**X. FILED ORDERS**

**XI. Addictions Professionals Certification Board of New Jersey (APCBNJ)**

**XII. Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS)**

**XIII. NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for **July 22, 2016**, 9:30 a.m. at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

<b><u>2016 Meeting Dates</u></b>			
July	22, 2016	October	28, 2016
August	26, 2016	November	18, 2016
September	23, 2016	December	16, 2016

**XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Committee will move to Executive Session to review criminal history reports, consumer complaints and other pending disciplinary and confidential matters.

**XV. REVIEW OF CREDENTIALS**

Applications for licensure and certification will be reviewed and moved for approval.

- A.** LCADC - Regular
- B.** LCADC - Upgrade
- C.** CADC - Regular
- D.** Written and Oral Examinations
- E.** Oral Examination Only

**XVI. ADJOURNMENT**